

Missouri's Access to Recovery Project

The logo for the Missouri Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse (ADA) and SAMHSA Access to Recovery Grant (ATR). The letters 'ADATR' are rendered in a large, bold, light blue font with a slight 3D effect. Below the letters is a dark blue horizontal bar containing the text 'Missouri Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse (ADA)' and 'SAMHSA Access to Recovery Grant (ATR)' in white.

Missouri Division of Alcohol & Drug Abuse (ADA)

SAMHSA Access to Recovery Grant (ATR)

Role of the Faith Community and other Nontraditional Providers

The Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse is committed to engaging the faith community and other nontraditional providers in the Access to Recovery Project.

ADATR

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Partners for Recovery

- Clinical treatment providers
- Faith-based and other nontraditional providers
- Primary healthcare
- Housing
- Labor/Business
- Criminal justice system
- Mental health system
- Education

How will the Faith Community & Nontraditional Providers be Involved?

- **Collaboration:** “Parties working together to achieve what neither could accomplish alone.”
- ATR will require a true collaboration among traditional clinical treatment providers, the faith community, and nontraditional organizations.

How will the Faith Community & Nontraditional Providers be Involved?

- Under ATR, treatment in itself is insufficient, and recovery supports alone are insufficient.
- Only **the two combined** will create the very best hope for sustained recovery from addiction.

Recruiting Recovery Support Providers

- **Committed Caring Faith Communities (CCFC)** is subcontracted to recruit, educate, and provide training for faith organizations/nontraditional providers
- **Statewide educational meetings** to be held **November, 2004 – January, 2005**

Requirements for Becoming a Recovery Support Provider

- Credentials have been developed by CCFC and Division of ADA staff
- Faith-based providers will be credentialed by CCFC
- Other nontraditional providers will be credentialed by the Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Project Requirements

- Program Administration and Organization
- Personnel
- Physical Plant and Safety
- Fiscal Accountability
- Data Collection and Reporting
- Rights, Responsibilities and Grievance Procedures
- Reporting Client Complaints of Abuse, Neglect, Misuse of Funds/Property
- Client Confidentiality/HIPAA compliance

Addictions Academy

- Attendance is required in this 32-hour program in order to be credentialed
- Graduates of the 2002, 2003, and 2004 Addiction Academies will not be required to retake the entire course; must complete the ATR component
- Three Addiction Academies to be held during 2005

Enrollment

- Open enrollment period to be held after January 1, 2005
- Faith organizations that have been providing services for at least one year and have participated in the Addictions Academy will receive priority for being credentialed

Recovery Support Services

- Family Conference
- Spiritual Life Skills
- Pastoral Counseling
- Drop-In Center
- Child Care
- Transportation
- Care Coordination
- Emergency or Temporary Housing
- Work Preparation
- Recovery Support Group
- Recovery Coaching

How will Recovery Support Vouchers be Issued?

- Following **assessment** by a clinical treatment provider, a **recovery support voucher** is created by the assessor
- The assessment helps determine which recovery supports are most appropriate for each client
- Clients will choose a recovery support provider(s) from at least two choices in his/her area
- As long as the client is engaged in clinical treatment, he/she can receive recovery support services

Recovery Support Voucher

- Clients may receive recovery support services prior to clinical treatment, as long as an assessment has been completed
- Vouchers follow the client – they can change recovery support providers at any time during treatment (*the recovery support provider must notify the clinical treatment provider when this occurs*)
- Recovery support services can be modified during the treatment episode
- Recovery support providers and clinical treatment providers must maintain regular contact regarding client status in treatment (*care coordination*)

Recovery Support Voucher

- After the client has completed treatment, the clinical treatment provider will discharge them and the voucher expires
- If a client drops out of treatment, the clinical treatment provider should discharge them, which cancels the voucher
- Again, this requires **regular contact between the clinical treatment and recovery support providers**

Reimbursement for Voucher Services

- Credentialed and enrolled recovery support providers will electronically submit invoices to the Division of ADA for reimbursement of services provided
- The Customary Service Authorization (CSA) for recovery support services will be \$400 per client
- The Customary Service Authorization may be exceeded with Clinical/Utilization Review which considers individual client progress, circumstances, and outcomes

Outcome Reporting

- The **clinical treatment provider** will be responsible for completing follow-up assessments in accordance with SAMHSA reporting requirements
- Follow-up assessments are due 30 days after admission, every 60 days thereafter, and at discharge
- This requires regular updates between clinical and recovery support providers

Training for Recovery Support Providers

- After recovery support providers have been credentialed and enrolled, training will be provided on:
 - Use of the DMH management information system
 - Invoicing procedures
 - Process for obtaining Clinical/Utilization Review for recovery support services that exceed the CSA
 - Affiliating and forming collaborative working relationships with clinical treatment providers

Challenges

- Lack of understanding of treatment systems and how recovery support services fit in
- Concern that non-credentialed individuals are providing support activities during clinical treatment
- Understanding the broad range of roles proposed